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Re: Notice of Intent to Submit a Health Care Reform Proposal

Dear Ms. Schulte,

Attached please find Colorado Consumer Health Initiative's notice of intent to submit a proposal. Thank you and we look forward to supporting the commission in its charge to expand coverage and reduce health care costs for Colorado residents.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kelly A. Shanahan".

Kelly A. Shanahan
Policy Director

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SUBMIT A HEALTH CARE REFORM PROPOSAL

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If known at this time, please provide a three-sentence description of the proposal that addresses what is being proposed, who and or what in the health system would be affected, and what the basic approach to reform would be.

We propose to cover all Coloradans through the use of publicly subsidized coverage, which would include Medicaid and SCHIP expansions, and private insurance market reforms to make private insurance more affordable. We do not have further details to share at this time as we are in the process of working with our membership and our technical team to flesh them out.